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CURRENT TOPICS. THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

MONMOUTH priests have been circulating a secret paper giving instructions to their people directly opposite to the law rulings of the commissioners.

An armistice has been concluded between the Greeks and Turks on the frontier of Thessaly, and negotiations for a definite settlement of the issue are in progress.

The election in Vermont has apparently resulted in a majority of 22,000 for Barstow for Governor, while the Democrats gained twenty-five members of the House.

NEVADA Democrats have nominated Jewett W. Adams for Governor. The platform calls for the passage of the Reagan bill by Congress and for State legislation to regulate freights and fares on railroads.

GENERAL SHERMAN requests that General McDowell be ordered to his home in New York, preparatory to his retirement in October, and that General Schofield be placed in command at San Francisco.

A DELEGATION of Texans representing a capital of \$5,000,000 has arrived in Chicago to complete a scheme for slaughtering their beef on the ranges and stowing it into refrigerator-cars for Chicago and the Eastern markets.

THE Rio Grande is higher than ever. At Eagle Pass and other towns in Texas the people have been driven to high ground and boats are in demand. The Concho is again out of its banks and the town of Ben Franklin has another washing.

DELEGATES from fifty-eight lodges of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers held a secret session for six hours in Pittsburgh, Pa., the other day, and unanimously decided to continue the strike for \$3 per ton. They have been idle since June 1.

THE Sultan of Turkey has at last issued a proclamation declaring Arabi Pasha a rebel for disobeying the orders of the Khedive and Dervish Pasha, thereby provoking the intervention of England. It winds up by exhorting all Egyptians to obey the Khedive.

THE Egyptian ministry will probably propose to the powers the appointment of an international commission to settle claims arising from incendiarism or pillage in Alexandria. Antonio Paulo, a Greek, has been arrested for being connected with a plot to assassinate Europeans.

GEN. E. S. BRAGG was arrested in Milwaukee, Wis., the other day, and held in \$2,000, on the suit of John A. Rice, of Chicago, to recover \$1,250 advanced on drafts which were not honored. The general was on the point of leaving for the congressional convention in his district, and it is charged that the step was taken to prevent his re-nomination.

STEPHEN J. MEANY, who is alleged to be acting under instructions from the Government of the United States, has notified the resident magistrate at Ennis, Ireland, that he surrenders his recognizances and holds himself under parole for thirty-six hours. His bondsmen have requested to be absolved from responsibility, and offer to hand him over to the police, at his request.

THE Nevada Republicans have nominated Nevada Strother for Governor. The platform refers to the history of the party, charges Arthur, cashier for the enforcement of the anti-Chinese laws for postal telegraph service, for silver coinage to be placed on the same basis as gold, for laws to secure the purification of the jury-box, to reduce State expenses, for the codification of mining laws, and promises to defend the public school system from sectarian influences.

A COMMITTEE of the Chicago Board of Trade, which has been taking testimony in regard to the value of defaulted No. 2 spring wheat for July, reported \$1.35 as the proper price at the close of that month. While the decision called out telegrams of approval from all parts of the country, two bills were immediately filed in the Superior Court for injunctions against the enforcement of the price fixed, and twenty-five other parties will commence similar proceedings.

THE Cincinnati Exposition was inaugurated by a grand procession headed by Gov. Foster and other notables. More than 3,000 mounted and uniformed men were in line. All the features of the pageant were brilliant beyond expectation, and the throngs were vociferous in their expressions of delight. The twenty-six tableaux cars, representing ten epochs, beginning with Chinese nativity at his plow and ending with Cincinnati as it is, were all faithfully shown, and the attendants tastefully and some even gorgeously attired.

THE Illinois Democrats in State Convention at Springfield on the 7th nominated Alfred H. Orendorf for Treasurer and Henry Raab for Superintendent of Schools. Resolutions were adopted demanding 'revision of the present unjust, and in many respects, prohibitory tariff, which is framed in the interest of capital, and while it favors and fosters iniquitous monopolies in unjust and oppressive to the laboring men in all the relations of life,' and declaring 'that prohibition, by the Constitution or by law, of the sale of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors would be in violation of individual and personal rights, and contrary to the fundamental principles of free government.'

In the star route trial at Washington, Sept. 7, Judge Wylie said it had come to his ears that members of the jury had been approached in the most disgraceful way in attempts to influence their action. He had first heard of it about a week ago, when he had received the most direct and positive information of this character. He had then advised the jury to pay no attention to it, as he did not wish to stop the progress of the case. Within the past twenty-four hours, however, these wolves that surrounded the jury had become fiercer and bolder, and upon hearing of one attempt more brazen and villainous than the others, he had felt such indignation that he had nearly advised the jury to shoot down such a man on the spot. He now adjured the jury to spurn such men with the toe of their boot; to turn from them with scorn.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

NEBRASKA Greenbackers in State Convention at Lincoln adjourned to meet in Hastings, September 27.

A BOILER explosion shattered the car-shops at Erie, Pa., on the 6th. John Wadley, foreman of the dry-house, was killed, and Charles Driehel, fireman, was literally blown to atoms. John White, John Zurn, Mike Weber, Wm. Hamilton and Joseph Engel were injured, the last named perhaps fatally.

THE brothers Raines, of Seagoville, Texas, quarreled over the division of some property the other day. While Hansgan was reading a paper in a store, the other walked in with a shotgun and discharged both barrels into his brother's breast and back. The murderer then surrendered to the authorities.

DANIEL EARLY, a saloon-keeper at Pittsburgh, Pa., killed John Gessner by a knock-down blow with his fist the other day.

THERE was a free fight in Nashville, Ind., the other night. A lot of stowmen employed by J. A. McGregor, agent of the Standard Oil Company, revived an old quarrel with some citizens. Pistols, knives, clubs and stones were freely used by some of the stowmen. The conflict raged for two hours. A number of persons were severely wounded.

MISS FRENDEL, of North St. Louis, Mo., has taken no solid food for three months, and her stomach will not retain liquids. She moves about all day, discharging light household duties.

MAJOR MILLS emigrated from Kentucky to Montreal soon after the close of the rebellion with a lady whom he introduced as his wife. He died a few months ago, leaving a life interest to his widow, at whose death it was to go to the hospitals and public charities. One clause of his will set apart \$15,000, the interest on which was to be expended annually for bread for the poor. Now a deep sensation has been caused by the appearance of a Western lady and some children, who lay claim to the estate of the deceased.

MRS. MARGARET SHAW and a little girl were knocked down by a horse in Cincinnati, Sept. 6. The girl was killed, and Mrs. Shaw was not recovered.

A FREIGHT train and shifting engine collided at Delaware Station, Pa., on the 7th. Both engines and several cars were wrecked. Celeste Montee, the oldest watchman on the road, who was riding on the engine, was struck and hurled into the fire-box and burned to a crisp.

RACHEL WALKER, colored, and her two children were fatally burned, near Stanford, Ky., the other night. A lamp exploded, setting fire to the house.

ALICE MITCHELL, of Rising Sun, Ind., grew tired of life in her eighteenth year and killed herself with arsenic.

An engine on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad struck a wagon one mile from Baltimore, Md., the other day, and fatally injured Mrs. Mary Kennard. Miss Steers, Chas. Steers and Lemuel Jett were thrown over the pilot, but escaped with a few scratches.

FRANK ALLEN took too much fire-water in Milwaukee, Wis., the other night, and went to the water with a revolver. John Waters and a man named Johnson endeavored to dissuade him; the former got a fatal wound in the body and the latter a bullet in the leg. Allen was finally subdued and locked up.

A SENSATION has been created in Montreal, Quebec, by the escape of three noted burglars from the strongest vault in the city. The burglars are McKay, McBride, and Flannagan, and they are said to be well known in Chicago.

THE merchants of Denver, Colo., gave a barbecue the other day. Four thousand customers were seated at the first table.

JUDGE NEWCOMB, a prominent citizen of St. Louis, Mo., was induced to visit a bank on the 9th. He was taken to a room, and after a few minutes he was seized and carried to a room where he was held for ransom.

THE London Times says: "The Government in conducting a military convention with Turkey, is persuaded that the Sultan has seen the folly of trying any longer to thwart the policy of England. Two European powers at least have intimated at Constantinople that England would be perfectly justified in breaking off negotiations which have been so wantonly prolonged."

CHARLES HARRIS, one of Pinkerton's detectives, was assassinated near Socorro, N. Mex., the other night.

TWO car-loads of sick Chinese railway laborers from Texas arrived at Bakersfield, Cal., the other day. Several were in a dying condition, rumors of yellow fever were started, and it was found to be impossible to obtain a coroner's jury for a dead Celestial.

JOSEPH R. CROZET, a clerk in the Pension Office at Washington, has been arrested for forgery and swindling, representing himself to merchants as an official from the navy yard buying goods and giving worthless and forged checks in payment.

AUGUSTUS BRANT, President of the 'Longshoremen's Union at Galveston, Texas, was put out of a saloon by Edward Hoppe, the other night, and fell upon the sidewalk, receiving injuries which caused death the next morning.

THE ship carpenters employed by the dry dock company at Camden, N. J., quit work the other day because a notice not to gather a few chips for firewood was not properly worded.

A SON of Wm. Blue, of Bunker Hill, Ind., was thrown from a wagon and fatally injured the other day.

OSCAR WELSH, recently of St. Louis, attempted suicide in New York City, Sept. 7, by shooting. It is believed the wound will prove fatal.

SPED TAYLOR, a magistrate, shot and killed James Brown at Cornsblive, Mercer County, Ky., the other night. Conflicting stories are told of the occurrence. Friends of each party claim that the other was drunk and threatening to kill.

MISS CARRIE HORLOCKER, aged 19, threw herself in front a train at Kingston Station, Ohio, the other night, and was mangled to death. Her parents did not like the man she loved, and she thought it necessary to die.

ONE man was killed and much property destroyed by the explosion of ten thousand pounds of gunpowder in a magazine near Guzman, Mexico, recently.

AT Las Vegas, N. Mex., the other day, a fourteen-year-old Mexican named Vilbarri set an old score by killing Paul Lovejoy, a former companion.

OFFICER MARION SHEPARD lost his life in an attempt to arrest two brothers named Barber, horse-thieves, at a railroad crossing near Wadena, Iowa.

THE Children's Home near Marietta, Ohio, was damaged by fire the other night. The little ones fled in all directions, but were looked up and found to be all right.

KATE CORBIN, aged 21, jumped from the fourth floor of a burning building in Chicago, Sept. 7, and was fatally injured.

TWO strangers entered the Merchants' Bank at Winalpha, Manitoba, on the 2nd, and during the temporary absence of the teller secured possession of \$10,000 in bills. No one saw the men near enough to be able to identify them and the authorities are at sea. As the money was not in bills of any particular bank there is no way of identifying it.

GEORGE MALLORY, an inmate of the Almshouse at Norwich, Conn., was arrested in the act of placing a heavy stone on the track of the New London & Northern Railway the other morning. Several attempts had been made to wreck a fast train and a watch had been set. When two detectives pounced upon him just as he was obstructing the track Mallory said: "I am poor, foolish, and knew not what I was doing."

JOHN HURST, a fisherman living near Cambridge, Md., went home drunk the other day and gave his eight-year-old son a good thrashing. When the wife interceded for the boy Hurst threatened her, and a man named Moore tried to pacify him, whereupon the affectionate father seized his boy by the feet and threw him to the floor, the blood spouting from his eyes and ears. When picked up the child was dead.

A TRAIN of eighty-five freight cars on the Pennsylvania Central became unmanageable on a steep grade near Pottsville the other day. After running several miles at great speed it demolished a bridge near Ashley. The trainmen escaped with slight bruises. The engine and many cars were wrecked.

THREE bold highway robberies have been committed in Montreal, Quebec, within a few days. The latest victim was a Parisian named Hammerell, who was assaulted near a leading hotel and stripped of two valuable diamond rings and a large amount in bank notes. A cabman who had driven the tourist about town was picked up by the police and identified as one of the robbers.

CUPPLES & Co.'s broom factory in St. Louis, Mo., burned on the 9th. Loss estimated at \$100,000.

EIGHT bicyclists of Boston, Mass., rode one hundred miles over country roads in twelve hours and thirty-five minutes, deducting the time taken for meals.

A BAND of English gypsies traveled with carts and wagons from Philadelphia to New York, and camped on a vacant lot at Broadway. They have been engaged by a theatrical manager to appear on the stage in an encampment scene.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

THE Egyptians attacked the British at Kassassin on the 9th. Gen. Wolseley's report says: "The enemy reconnoitered our advanced posts with a considerable force of all arms at daybreak. Gen. Willis advanced and attacked them, driving them back with loss. We have taken four guns. Our loss is very trifling. The enemy have retired into their works, from which they are now firing at 5,000 yards range. I shall return to camp at Kassassin shortly with all the force."

THE Chinese authorities have intervened boldly in Corea, and seized the King and his family, and sent them to China. The King has been reinstated by Chinese troops and ships.

J. H. JOHNSTON, Mayor of Danville, Pa., and S. E. Hatcher, late Chief of Police, had a scuffle in the street the other evening. The Mayor pulled his pistol and Hatcher did not survive.

H. J. GRONAN, a nurse in the St. Joseph Hospital, Baltimore, Md., was removed by a Sister, the other day, for not restoring to patients medicine sent to his care. He went out and shot himself and died within an hour.

THE British bark Canamel, from Sunderland to Java, went down with twenty persons.

THE body of Wm. C. Ferguson, of Steubenville, Ohio, was found on the track near Indianapolis, Ind., the other day, the skull crushed and an arm broken. Foul play is suspected.

GEORGE DIENO, formerly a Sergeant of Police and ex-Deputy Sheriff, was shot dead in the Parish Prison, New Orleans, Sept. 10, by John Domalek, a Deputy Sheriff.

CHAS. CLARK, 16 years old, killed his sweetheart, Mary Carroll, at Dallas, Texas, Sept. 10.

YELLOW fever has been declared epidemic at Pensacola, Fla.

A METEOR weighing one pound eleven ounces fell in the center of the principal street of Lebanon, Pa., during a recent storm.

F. C. REYNOLDS, a distinguished forger, has been arrested by Chicago detectives.

MAMIE LYONS, aged 4, was sent for whisky, in Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 9, and drank enough of it to cause her death.

JOHN BLACKWELL, a prominent farmer of Painesville, Neb., was fatally shot by S. C. Becker, a neighbor, who mistook him for a horse-thief, the other night.

H. S. SCHINKER, a brother of the New York publisher, was assaulted by highwaymen in Des Moines, Iowa, the other night, and beaten so badly that his life is despaired of.

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

James Mills, a young farm hand, who for some months has been working for Mr. Albert Evans, in Wyandotte County, a few miles from Kansas City, was shot and killed a few days ago by the farmer's son. Mills fell in love with Miss Evans, the farmer's daughter, who has recently returned from a boarding-school in the South, and the love returned, the two talked of getting married. Frank Evans, brother of the girl, tried to prevent the marriage, and threatened to make it hot for Mills if he didn't leave the country. This the young man refused to do, and while all the parties were in the house on the night of the tragedy the matter broke out. Mr. Evans was engaged to be married to the girl if she would have him, when suddenly Evans picked up a Colt's revolver and fired one shot at short range. The ball from the weapon entered Mills' body, below the heart, and after suffering untold agony the young man died.

The young girl, to whom we are engaged to be married, Mr. Evans, who is now watching at his bedside until the end, and vowed that his death should be avenged.

A few nights ago, as the wife and daughter of Mr. William Sharon, of La Cynne, were walking unattended to their home they were followed for some distance by a young man, who finally caught up with Mr. Sharon and then, brandishing a pistol, as though expecting company. The ladies screamed, and the man, after being recognized as Samuel Dennis, made his escape. The affair so incensed the husband and father that he publicly horsewhipped Dennis for the insult, and at once appeared before Justice Donaldson to answer for his conduct.

Frank E. Holmes and his champion rowing crew of four from Pawtucket, R. I., have arrived in Lawrence, with their shell boats. They will row at the regatta on the 19th and 20th of September, during the week of the State Fair. Holmes is the champion single oarsman of the United States, and will manage the regatta. He promises the river a superior place for a rowing course. Entries to this regatta have been made from eight boating clubs, as follows: Pawtucket, Rhode Island; Centonville, Detroit; Farragut, Chicago; Sylvan, Moline, Ill.; Burlington Rowing Association, Burlington, Iowa; Modes and St. Louis Boating Club, St. Louis; Hillsdale, Michigan. These are among the best boating clubs in America.

Peaches have been selling for 50 cents per bushel in Southern Kansas.

Judge Mason, of Leavenworth, who presides over the marriage license dispensatory, was somewhat astonished the other day by the appearance of an antiquated colored couple and a request for a license and a marital knot. The groom's name is John Jackson, and he is 77 years old. The bride is Lavinia Coleman and is 76. John was a servant of Henry Clay, and he married the wife of Jefferson Davis in the days of the lady's infancy. Both parties have experienced many of the vicissitudes of fever, famine, war and pestilence, but come up smiling at this late day to take each other for better or for worse.

The third hay crop of the season has been harvested on the State Agricultural College grounds.

A wealthy Englishman will invest \$150,000 in Topeka.

Rev. G. Irving, of Council Grove, has received \$8,000 back pension. He was a chaplain in the army during the late war, and has never been a well man since.

A turkey gobbler in Harper County hatched nine guinea eggs.

Corn is said to have been damaged by dry weather and hot winds in the western part of the State.

Elk City is improving rapidly. Four new business blocks, a large hotel, and a fine two-story school-house are among the features.

A couple of bold robberies were committed at Fairmount, Leavenworth County, early the other morning. The residence of E. J. Humphrey was entered by cutting through the sash and raising a window. Mrs. Humphrey and her little girl were chloroformed, and the house was thoroughly ransacked in search of valuables. A gold watch and chain, valued at \$150, \$37 in money, and \$40 worth of jewelry were taken. The pocket watch and chain-case, after being emptied of their contents, were left upon the front steps. Chloroform was also used by burglars who searched the premises of Mr. Singer, but they found only \$35.

The question of not holding soldiers' reunions often than once in three and five years will be considered at Topeka.

In some localities farmers are holding their wheat, and are determined to have a dollar per bushel.

There is a possibility of the new industrial school for Indians being located at Kansas City.

Sites for the Leavenworth public buildings are advertised for.

Topeka is said to have one divorce for every seven-five couples.

A banker at McPherson recently received a letter from a London banking firm inquiring about some mortgages on the Kansas Central & Southwestern Railroad. This road was to run southwest from Junction City, and it was represented that 112 miles was graded. The Kansas correspondent replied that he was not aware of the existence of any such road.

The Mennonite communities in Kansas are prospering. About 15,000 of these Russian own nearly 200,000 acres.

Ears of corn sixteen inches in length excite no surprise at Cherryvale.

Lewis Thortman, a German barber employed in Lawrence, was drowned in the Kansas River, the other day. He was sitting on a pile of boards, fishing, and they gave way, precipitating him into the water. His loud cries for help attracted the attention of some pedestrians on the bridge, who hastened to the rescue, but he sank for the last time before they could render him any assistance.